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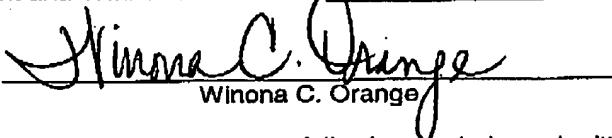
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## RESPONSE

Sir:

The following Remarks are submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 in response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2005.

Reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested.